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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 93-482-T - ORDER NO. 94-310

APRIL 8, 1994

IN RE: Application of Little Dallas Motor) ORDER GRANTING
Lines, Inc., Rt. 3, Box 5121,) PERMISSION TO
Murray Johnson Road, Conway, SC, for) TAKE DEPOSITION
a Class E Certificate of Public)
Convenience and Necessity.

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of David Popowski, Esquire, Attorney, for Little Dallas Motor Lines, Inc. (Little Dallas) for Commission permission to take the deposition of Ricky Jerry Doyle of Conway, South Carolina, on Thursday, April 7, 1994 at 4:30 p.m. pursuant to R.103-852 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

Further, Popowski requests that the Commission authorize the use of the deposition in lieu of oral testimony in open Court pursuant to Rule 32(3)(B) of the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure because the witness is at a greater distance than 100 miles from the location of the hearing at the Commission in Columbia.

The Commission grants the request of the Applicant's attorney to take the deposition at the time and place as proposed. Further, our Regulation 103-854 states that the South Carolina

Rules of Civil Procedure govern all discovery matters not covered in Commission Regulations 103-850 through 103-852. Popowski asks, pursuant to Rule 32(3)(B) of the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure, to allow the deposition as stated above to be used at the hearing in this case in lieu of a personal appearance and oral testimony in that the witness is at a greater distance than 100 miles from the location of the hearing at the Commission's offices in Columbia.

The Commission has examined this matter and believes that this request should also be granted. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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